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OPENING IN A SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2004. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

An Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.